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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Marco NAHMIAS NANNI et al.)
Serial No.: Not yet assigned) Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned
Filed: January 8, 2002) Examiner: Not yet assigned
For: HIGH PERFORMANCE TYRE)
WITH TREAD BAND HAVING AN)
ANISOTROPIC UNDERLAYER)
STABLE UPON TEMPERATURE)
VARIATION)

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-captioned application, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title, as follows:

HIGH PERFORMANCE TYRE WITH TREAD BAND HAVING AN ANISOTROPIC
UNDERLAYER STABLE WITH TEMPERATURE VARIATION

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